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Dr. J. Lederberg
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Dear Dr. Lederberg,

I am applying for a U. S. Public Health fellowship for this fall and would appreciate a letter of reference from you.

The proposed project is a continuation of the work on the carbon dioxide requirement of Brucella abortus. We plan to begin work this fall on the products of CO₂ fixation by the parent and mutant types employing C¹⁴O₂. The labelled products will be fractionated and, if possible, identified. Of course the studies on nutrition and respiration will continue.

At the present moment I am counting plates again. We have obtained nine new CO₂ strains to work with.

Hope you have a fruitful summer.

Best wishes,

Allen

Allen Marr